Biden’s Transition Team of Corporate Scum Includes Uber, Amazon, Airbnb, Obama’s Citigroup Cabinet and Asbestos Lobbyist Robert Klein to Be Chief of Staff

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The right has been painting a portrait of Hillary Clinton as a child-sacrificing demon worshiper from hell. Over the top perhaps, yet not an interesting criticism, as it devoid of substance. One of the most interesting revelations from Wikileaks was not Hillary, the DNC, John Podesta and the MSM rigging the primary against Bernie and fueling a baseless neo-Cold War conspiracy theory about Trump. It was that Obama, despite being hailed as the progressive Messiah, which to Fox News means literal commie, had his entire cabinet staffed using an email from Wall Street bank Citigroup, almost to a T.

The relevance is important, as Obama’s second in command is set to take over as President in a few months. And oh, how history repeats itself! Robert Klein, who served as Chief of Staff to Vice Presidents Gore and Biden, was announced as upcoming Presidential Chief of Staff for Biden. This is important because Klein is the worst of the worst (from Politico 2008):

> Klein is…an asbestos industry bailout package, an airline merger, mortgage regulations to help Fannie Mae and a drug-maker under congressional scrutiny for withholding life-saving drugs from dying patients, among other clients.

In a nutshell, the man has spent his entire life fucking over normal folk and giving blowjobs to the 1% and that's putting it mildly. But surely, the rest of Biden's transition team is pro-worker, right? From Vice:

> The Biden-Harris team's picks include executives at notoriously badly-behaving companies, such as Uber and Amazon. Crucially, some team members have worked to support gig companies' assault on labor in recent years, undercutting Biden's message that he opposed Proposition 22, a California ballot measure that sought to make permanent the misclassification of gig economy workers.
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> There are some bright spots: the Treasury and the Federal Reserve teams suggest that an aggressive approach to financial regulation is in the cards, for example. Members of the labor movement have also been brought on, including a top Sanders adviser. These picks are undercut by choices such as Bridget Dooling, a professor at George Washington who works out of the "non-partisan" Koch-funded Regulatory Studies Center who conjures academic research defending the deregulation of the fossil fuel industry.

In essence, the far left, the progressive left, the economic Bernie Sanders left will be drowned out by corporate scum of the highest. Back to business as usual indeed.

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